

Homework

Homework mats will be given out at the start of each topic. They will have twelve activities for your child to complete as part of their homework. Your child will need to complete three of these activities every week.

Knowledge Organisers

At Pear Tree we have introduced Knowledge Organisers (KOs) in class as homework to help children to learn the essential knowledge they need for each topic they study. A Knowledge Organiser sets out in detail what we want children to know by heart by the end of the topic. We expect the majority of children to be able to recall all of the information on the KO by the end of the topic.

Reading

Your child will have a home school learning log and reading book, which will need to be taken home and returned to school every day. Your child should read at home every day and an adult will need to sign the learning log to show that your child has read. Reading diaries and logs will be checked every Friday.

PE Kits

Your child will need correct PE kit. As the weather gets colder, we will allow children to wear dark jogging bottoms. We will be doing PE on a Friday.

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform everyday. Make sure that all clothing is clearly labelled.

Websites to help

BBC Bitesize, Bug Club, Times Tables Rock Stars



With trust and care we will grow and flourish

Year 5 Parents Information Booklet **Autumn Term 2020**

At Pear Tree Junior School, we believe that learning is a two-way partnership, involving school and home. We hope this leaflet will answer some of your questions as your child learns in Year 5 and gives you some ideas of ways to help at home!

Inside this booklet you will see what your child is studying this half term. Please take time to read through and discuss this with your child.

Should you require any further information about the curriculum or any other queries please ask to speak to a member of staff

Teaching Staff

Class: Calke

Teacher: Mrs Elliott

Class: Chatsworth

Teacher: Miss Glenn

Class: Hardwick

Teacher: Mr Leek

Year 5 additional teaching staff

Mrs Anderton

Miss Campbell

Miss Zuzana

Science

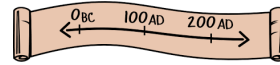
Forces part 2.

We will be studying water resistance as part of this topic on forces. We will build on the knowledge from the last topic. We will study fair testing.



History

We will be studying the rise and fall of the British Empire and considering if it was a good idea.



Geography

We will be studying India as part of our topic. Phileas Fogg visits India. We will use the text Around the world in 80 days to support our learning.



Shared Reading

Around the world in 80 days
Film clips
Literacy shed clips
Information text.
Newspapers
Biography



Enrichment

The children will have an experience of A Victorian Christmas.



Outcome

By the end of the unit the children will have a detailed understanding of when the Victorians lived, some of their customs and everyday life. They will know about Victorian transport.



Maths

This half term the focus will be on multiplication and division
Children should continue to learn or revise their times tables –the children should know these by the end of Year 4.

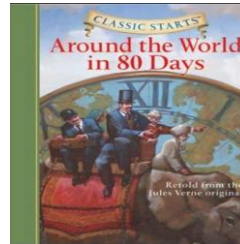
Writing Opportunities

Writing information texts
Newspaper articles
Recount



Key Question/Topic: Around the world in 80 days

Key Text



Year 5 Autumn

PSHE

Study an influential role model during perseverance day.



Learning Together

Perseverance
Following our class rules.



Music

Listen to a range of Victorian music



Computing

E-safety
Understand computer networks including the internet.



Art/DT

Perspective pictures



PE

Football
Gymnastics



Languages

Introductions/greetings
Numbers
Days of the week



RE Worship

